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**NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF 37
CFR 1.192(c)**

The brief includes a statement that the different groups of claims as rejected *do not* stand or fall as a group, but fails to present reasons in support thereof as required under 37 CFR 1.192(c)(5). MPEP § 1206. Since applicant has stated that each group of claims do not stand or fall as a group, applicant must argue each claim separately.

Appellant is required to comply with provisions of 37 CFR 1.192(c).

To avoid dismissal of the appeal, Appellant must comply with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.192(c) within the longest of any of the following TIME PERIODS: (1) ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing of this communication; (2) within the time period for reply to the action from which appeal has been taken; or (3) within two months from the date of the notice of appeal under 37 CFR 1.191. Extensions of these time periods may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Curtis Cohen whose telephone number is (703) 308-2106.

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